



# Montgomery County Council

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## **COUNTY COUNCIL APPOINTS COMMISSION ON REDISTRICTING**

The Montgomery County Council today appointed nine people to the Commission on Redistricting.

The Commission on Redistricting is charged with revising council district boundaries. The Council is required to approve new district boundaries every 10 years and must appoint a commission by February 1 of the year in which redistricting takes effect. Redistricting will take effect for the 2002 council elections.

The Democratic and Republican parties each must submit eight names to the council. Of those, the council must select four members from each party. The Council must appoint one additional member. Members must come from each district, but no more than two members can live in one district.

The members of the Commission on Redistricting are:

<b>District</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Party Affiliation</b>
1	David Davidson	Democrat
1	Harry Lerch	Republican
2	Steve Berry	Democrat
2	William Roberts	Republican
3	Jason Tai	Democrat
3	Andrew Morton	Republican
4	Shirley Small-Rougeau	Democrat
5	William Sher	Democrat
5	Jayne Plank	Republican

The commission will report its redistricting plan to the Council by November 15, 2001.

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